Cancel claims 6 and 7.

13. A method of wagering on a game of chance having events comprising the steps of:

identifying at least one selected community event;

accepting wagers from one or more players on the at least one community event;

generating chance events;

rewarding each of the one or more players that wagered on the occurrence of the community event from a prize pool should the at least one community event occur during the step of generating chance events, and

basing the rewarding of each player on substantially the amount of that player's wager so the determination of the reward of each player is on the proportion of the fraction of total wagers made by all the wagering players during that game of chance that the amount of the player's wager represented.

17. A method of playing and wagering on a game of chance having events comprising the steps of:

identifying at least one selected community event;

accepting wagers from one or more players on the at least one community event;

generating at least one chance event during the playing of the game of chance;

rewarding the one or more players from a prize pool should the at least one selected community event occur during the chance event;

splitting the prize pool among all those that wager on the occurrence of the community event during the step of generating the chance event, and basing the determining the reward of each player substantially on the proportion of the fraction of total wagers made by all the wagering players during that game of chance that the amount of the player's wager represented.

A method of playing and wagering on a game of chance having events comprising the steps of:

identifying at least one selected community event;

accepting wagers from one or more players on the at least one community event;

generating at least one chance event during the playing of the game of chance;

holding a secondary game of chance and distributing from a prize pool to the one or more players that wagered should the at least one selected community event occur during the chance event, and basing the determining the reward of each player substantially on the proportion of the fraction of total wagers made by all the wagering players during that game of chance that the amount of the player's wager represented.

REMARKS

Claims 1-12 are rejected by the Examiner under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which Applicants regard as the invention. The Examiner explains that, in claim 1, line 1, the phrase "game of change" is vague and unclear, and apparently should be "game of chance".

The Examiner is correct and claim 1 has been amended. Accordingly, the phrase "game of chance" is now recited so in claim 1, lines 1 and 5; claim 9, line 1; claim 10, line 1; and claim 11, line 1 all have antecedent basis.